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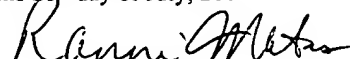
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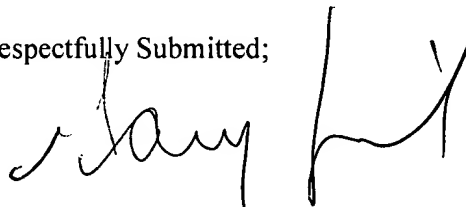
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In response to the Restriction Requirement of July 14, 2004, the applicants hereby elect to prosecute the invention of Group III and corresponding claims 5-11 in the event that the linking claims 1-2, which link Groups I and III, are deemed non-allowable.

CONCLUSION

The subject application is considered to be in condition for allowance. Such action on the part of the Examiner is respectfully requested. Should it be determined, however, that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the attorney undersigned.

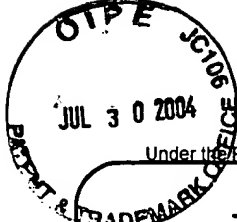
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